

## Battle of Aisne Resumed All Along the Lines By Germans---Allies Firm

### Paris Official Reports Say Attack Repulsed At Every Point---Hos- pital Staff Left Behind At Peronne

PARIS, September 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The battle of the Aisne was resumed all along the line yesterday, the whole forces of the Germans and the Allies being engaged during the day. The results according to an official announcement, are that the Allies repulsed the Germans' assaults at every point and gained ground themselves in the series of counter attacks launched.

#### GERMANS FORCED THE FIGHTING.

The battle was resumed on the initiative of the Germans, who advanced along practically the entire front, from La Fere to the eastern German border at Mars la Tour. The main attack was made in the east, the invaders crossing the Meuse at St. Mihiel and engaging the French in their entrenchments. For a time the attack of the Germans was successful and the French fell back until reinforced, when the Germans were forced to recross the river, under a withering fire.

#### FLANKING MOVEMENT PROGRESSING.

The enveloping movement along the French left is making progress and the latest reports last night are that the heights along the Meuse are all in French hands. In the Woivre region the forces of the Allies which had been advanced from Nancy and Toul are gaining ground.

An official report of the battle, issued by the war ministry at noon, describing the situation as it then existed, says:

#### HEAVY FIGHTING ON THE WINGS.

"Heavy fighting is taking place on the east and west wings of the armies. We have advanced slightly between Soissons and the River Meuse.

"Between Soissons and Rheims there is no change in the situation.

"In the Woivre region the enemy crossed the Meuse to St. Mihiel. We reassumed the offensive and threw most of the German forces back on the river.

"South of Woivre we continue to make progress. The fourteenth German corps has been forced to retire after great losses.

"In Lorraine and Vosges the enemy drove in some of our outpost. We brought up reserves and regained the ground."

### Left Wounded and Hospital Staff

Some details of the evacuation of Peronne, before the flanking attack of the Allies, have been received. It is reported that the German left behind them a large number of wounded and the entire medical staff of the western army. This included two hundred and twenty surgeons and two hundred and twenty nurses, of whom seventy were women. The women were all found to be armed with revolvers.

#### HOLLAND TO STOP CONTRABAND.

A despatch to the Havas agency from Amsterdam says that the Netherlands Government has taken an active step to prevent Germany from receiving any articles which come under the term of contraband of war. To prevent the exportation of such articles, the government has declared all the eastern provinces under martial law.

This will cut Germany off from her most immediate source of supply for many necessary articles.

### Prepared Long In Advance

LONDON, September 26.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—A fortnight of incessant and violent fighting finds the battle of Aisne still undecided.

The German entrenchments are relatively good, their strength being one of the most remarkable features of the campaign to date. The Germans for many years have been systematically acquiring private stone quarries in which heavy artillery has now been mounted. It is almost impossible to dislodge the army from its position along the Aisne on account of the system and skill with which these quarries have been turned into entrenched positions.

### Report To German Consulate

Cabled information received at the local German consulate yesterday states that the situation is as follows:

"Germans crossed Meuse near Saint Mihiel and break through Sperr Forts. German right advancing from Saint Quentin. Left at Saales Pass has been successful. Germans are on the offensive in northeast Poland. Austrians are concentrating at Przemyel."

### Zeppelin Captured In Poland

WARSAW, Poland, September 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—This capital was raided by a Zeppelin airship on Saturday morning, the crew dropping two bombs which inflicted considerable damage but which threw the citizens into a state of terror. The Zeppelin maneuvered over the city for some time, then turned in the direction of the fortifications near Modlin.

Here it was fired on by the forts and brought down, the great dirigible and its crew being captured.

### Dysentery Situation Alarming

BUDAPEST, Hungary, September 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—There is decided alarm in official circles over the health situation in the army. It is officially admitted that many of the prisoners of war throughout the country are suffering from dysentery.

### CHINESE REFUGEES CROWD CHINA STEERAGE

Chinese sailors and firemen numbering 150, formerly employed on the various German vessels that are war-bound here, were given free passage, also their back wages, when the steamer China departed for the Orient yesterday morning at ten o'clock. These passengers crowded the steerage capacity of the steamer to the limit. Other Chinese sailors who desire to leave for the Orient will be dispatched on the steamer Manchuria, which is due here next month.

### CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

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## Germans Now Carry the War Into Africa Raiding Parties are Invading Cape Colony

LONDON, September 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—A Reuter's dispatch from Capetown reports the invasion of Cape Colony from Namaqua Land. A force of Germans, three hundred strong, crossed the Orange River and occupied the town of Pella, just south of the river. Pella is a trading station.

Another German force has invaded Bechuanaland and made its headquarters at Reit Fontein, a station north of the Orange River near the Cape Colony line.

#### FRENCH CAPTURE AFRICAN POST

BORDEAUX, September 26.—The ministry of marine announces that a French gunboat has surprised and occupied Coco Beach, Cameroon, German West Africa.

## Austrian Regiments In Brussels To Storm Antwerp Forts

### Germany Pouring In Fresh Troops For a Belgian Campaign

THE HAGUE, September 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—A determination of the Germans to resume operations on a large scale in Northern Belgium is indicated in the continuous influx of fresh troops at Brussels, while several Austrian regiments are now on Belgian soil ready to take part in the expected attack upon the Antwerp forts.

At Grimbergen the Germans are assembling more heavy artillery to be used against the Antwerp fortifications.

#### MORE BOMBARDMENTS BY AEROPLANES

ANTWERP, September 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—A German aeroplane flew over Duffel, ten miles south of here, at an early hour this morning, the aviator dropping two bombs. His aim was poor, however, both bombs falling in the water of Nethe, failing to explode.

This city was visited by a German aeroplane yesterday afternoon, the birdman becoming the target for a number of guns. The machine did not run the gauntlet of fire, but turned and fled from the vicinity of the forts.

## Captain Benjamin Watkins Found Dead On Rifle Range

Popular Officer of Second Infantry  
Victim of Accident With  
His Own Revolver—Stood  
High With Rank and File

(From Sunday Advertiser.)  
Capt. Benjamin H. Watkins of the Second Infantry, stationed at Fort Shafter, was found dead on the target range at that post about three o'clock yesterday afternoon. The cause of death was a bullet wound in the head, and a revolver with one empty chamber was found by his side.

The discovery was made by a party of engineer soldiers who were returning to the post from a survey out in the hills. They reported the finding of the body to Lieutenants C. C. Gee and J. R. D. Matheson of the Engineer Corps. They in turn reported the matter to Col. Francis H. French of the Second Infantry, the post commander, and had the body taken by ambulance to the post hospital.

A board of officers was immediately detailed to investigate the death of Captain Watkins, which was believed to have been the result of an accident. Captain Watkins was not on any duty yesterday afternoon and had gone out on the pistol range about an hour before his body was found.

Very Popular Officer.—A great-  
Army officer, right when the fact of  
Captain Watkins' death became known.  
The greatest sympathy was expressed  
by a large number of military and civil-  
ian friends for his wife and small  
daughter.

Captain Watkins was an exceedingly  
popular officer and well liked by all  
with whom he came in contact. He  
was considered one of the most effi-  
cient staff officers in the department  
during the time he was quartermaster  
of his regiment. As post quartermas-  
ter at Schofield Barracks he performed  
the duties of that difficult office in a  
manner highly agreeable to his superi-  
ors and to the large garrison of that  
post until he was relieved by the opera-  
tion of the Manchua law. According to  
the Army records and statements of  
brother officers, Captain Watkins re-  
ceived the commendation of his superi-  
ors on various occasions for his effi-  
ciency and tact.

Fourteen Years in Service  
Captain Watkins entered the Army  
from civil life in 1898 as a second  
lieutenant in the Second Infantry. In  
1899 he went to the Philippines with  
the first Infantry, was transferred to  
the Twenty-fifth Infantry in 1905,  
promoted captain in the Thirtieth In-  
fantry in the same year and trans-  
ferred back to the Second Infantry in  
1907. He had served seven years con-  
tinuously with the Second Infantry in  
June.

His wife, who has been prominent in  
Army and local society circles, was  
prostrated last night.

## CHEMISTS MEET TO EXCHANGE IDEAS

At an interesting and pleasant meet-  
ing of the Hawaiian Chemists' Associa-  
tion, held last evening at the H. S. P.  
A. experiment station, H. P. Agee read  
a paper to the assembled chemists on  
"Looking at the Fertilizer Question  
From Different Angles."

The committee in charge of the meet-  
ing consisted of S. S. Peck and H. S.  
Walker, who arranged for the buffet  
supper served.

Those present were Chemists Lane,  
Peck, Agee, Walker, Hind, Napier,  
Schmidt, Norris, Werthmuller, Savage,  
Barter, Dillingham, Broadbent, Lyon,  
Kelley and Krouse.

Col. J. W. Short, who was operated  
upon two weeks ago, is convalescing  
at the Queen's Hospital and making  
satisfactory progress.

### THE LATE CAPTAIN WATKINS



## SAYS DISCOVERY OF TURPINITE WILL END ALL WAR

"Turpinite," the newest and deadliest  
of explosives, which, according to  
a wireless report to The Advertiser, is  
now being used by the French artillery,  
takes its name from its inventor, Mr.  
Turpin, who is also the inventor of  
melinite, another tremendous explosive  
which was used by the Allies in the  
Balkan war.

The first intimation that reached  
England of the possible use of turpinite  
came in a Reuter's despatch of  
August 2, practically coincident with  
the German invasion of Belgium. This  
despatch, which came from Paris, said  
that M. Turpin had announced the  
discovery of an explosive of a terrify-  
ing character, "which will modify all  
present military tactics and render all  
defensive measures illusory." In de-  
scribing the new explosive, the inven-  
tor declared that "the enemy's forces  
will be annihilated by its use and gen-  
eral disarmament will be enforced."

On the date of the interview, August  
2, M. Turpin had visited the French  
war minister and made arrangements  
for the use of the new explosive.

Oliver K. Sellman and Daniel M.  
Woodward, clerks in the Honolulu  
waterworks department, have been no-  
tified by W. A. Wall, city engineer,  
under whose department the water-  
works were placed after they were  
turned over by the Territory to the  
municipal government, that their ser-  
vices will not be required after the end  
of the present month.

Stillman and Woodward have been  
clerks in the waterworks department  
for many years. Stillman's services  
there running over a period of more  
than fifteen years. When the water-  
works were taken over by the city  
government last July, many clocks were  
let out by the new manager of the sys-  
tem on the score of economy, but among  
others Stillman and Woodward were  
retained.

That politics are at the bottom of  
the whole thing, he charged, the two  
men being Republicans. This hour after  
the story published in The Advertiser  
a few days ago, in which it was stated  
that at a meeting of Democratic super-  
visors and heads of departments it had  
been decided to get rid of Republican  
office holders as soon as possible. Si-  
llman and Woodward have denied that such  
is the case, but the dismissal of Still-  
man and Woodward, it is claimed, sub-  
stantiates The Advertiser's story.

## EFFORTS TO FIND GUS SCHUMAN IN GERMANY FAIL

Relatives Have Not Heard from  
Him Since War Broke  
Out in Europe

After striving in every way possible  
to get some word from Gus Schuman,  
proprietor of the Schuman Carriage  
Company and substantial business man  
of Honolulu, who was visiting with  
relatives in Dresden when the war  
broke out, the only reply received  
concerning him came yesterday in the  
very unsatisfactory cable from the  
state department: "Schuman has left  
Dresden."

#### Appealed to State Department

After vainly endeavoring to get  
word through direct to Mr. Schuman,  
his relatives here appealed to the  
state department in Washington three  
weeks ago, asking that some news be  
secured through the Schuman was in  
Dresden when the war first broke out  
and hastened to Dresden, where he has  
many relatives. He notified his family  
here of his Dresden address, but since  
then not a word has come from him.

The state department took up the  
matter and has learned that Mr. Schu-  
man is no longer in Dresden, but of  
where he went and why and what has  
befallen him there is not a word of  
explanation.

#### May Be at the Front

Mr. Schuman is an American citi-  
zen, but it is thought that very pos-  
sibly he has been conscripted and sent  
to the front with some German regi-  
ment. There have been reports "in  
local circulation" to that effect, details  
being supplied out of someone's imagi-  
nation that Mr. Schuman was attached  
to the farriery branch of a cavalry  
regiment. Needless to say there are  
no grounds whatever for these latter  
reports. All that the American am-  
bassador has been able to find out has  
been communicated to Honolulu, and  
it is all summed up in the laconic mes-  
sage, "Schuman has left Dresden."

## DICKERING FOR A CEMETERY SITE

A conference was held yesterday  
morning in the office of Governor Pin-  
kham on the question of the proposed  
municipal cemetery for the city of  
Hilo. Considerable discussion took  
place as to the respective sites known  
as Ala and Kihala, these lands being  
part of the Bishop Estate property,  
bordering on the gulch north of Punoe,  
near Waiakapi. The Bishop Estate  
people, it is claimed, do not look with  
favor on the Ala site and favor the Ki-  
hala location as more advantageous to  
the estate and the people of Hilo. The  
estate is willing to come to terms on  
the Kihala site, it is understood.

Hilo wants a cemetery which will be  
good for many years to come and for  
the purpose anything between twenty  
and forty acres will be acceptable. The  
government will either purchase the  
property outright or give in exchange  
land to the Bishop Estate valuable  
land which it owns in the South Hilo  
district. No final conclusion on the sub-  
ject was reached yesterday. Those  
who took part in the conference yes-  
terday were Governor Pinkham, At-  
torney General, Stinson, Dr. J. S. B.  
Pratt, president of the board of health,  
Land Commissioner Tucker, Territorial  
Secretary Thayer, Senator A. F. Judd  
and Guy H. Gere, the two last men-  
tioned representing the Bishop Estate.

## Great Armies Face To Face Along Eastern Border of Germany

### Hour For Second Great Battle In Europe Has Come--Russians Have Choice of Position and Advantage That Gives In the Early Fighting

LONDON, September 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wire-  
less)—The supreme test between the main Russian army for the  
invasion of Germany, and the main German army for the defense  
of the approaches to Berlin is about to begin. The two huge  
armies are in touch and the battle is momentarily expected to begin.

This information comes in a dispatch from Petrograd to Lloyds  
here. This dispatch states that the Prussian army has been re-  
inforced of late at the rate of an army corps a day, until now the  
strength of the force facing the Muscovites is eight hundred thou-  
sand men, well supplied with artillery.

#### RUSSIANS IN GREAT STRENGTH

The Russians, in great strength, occupy a line extending along  
the whole western frontier of Poland and extending into East  
Prussia and Galicia.

The Germans have strained every nerve to bring up sufficient  
men to balance the continued losses of the Austrians.

#### REALIZE THE HOUR HAS COME

The outposts of the two armies have clashed along a front of  
over a hundred miles and both sides realize that the hour has  
come for the main trial of strength.

In the opening of the battle the Russians will have the advantage  
of being on ground of their own choosing.

#### RUSSIANS SUCCEEDED IN GALICIA

In Galicia the Russians have captured all the important posi-  
tions around Przemyel, and have completely isolated that strong-  
hold, which is closely entrenched.

Further west, near the Silesian frontier, the troops of the Czar  
have reached Cracow, the extreme southern end of the German  
main line, and have commenced a siege.

#### BELIEVES ROUMANIA IS READY

It is reported in the Russian capital that Roumania has definite-  
ly decided to take a hand in the war and that the first Roumanian  
army corps has been ordered to the Austrian frontier, to operate  
with the Servians now invading Sienhungen.

## CHINESE HELD AT HILO ARE FRETFUL MEXICO STARTS ANOTHER WAR

Do Not Relish Being Cooped Up  
on Kiyo Maru and Not  
Allowed Ashore

Carranza Says There Is No Hope  
Any Peaceful Way

Trouble is reported to have broken  
out among the five hundred Chinese  
steamer passengers on board the Toyo  
Kisen Kaisha steamer Kiyo Maru  
which has been held at Hilo awaiting  
sailing orders more than ten days.  
To be closely guarded on board the  
steamer within sight of land and no  
immediate prospect of continuing their  
journey has made the Orientals very  
fretful and discontented.

#### Bound For Peru

The Chinese are destined for the  
lumber, railroad and timber corporations in  
Peru and Chile. The Kiyo Maru  
arrived from Hongkong and Japan ports  
September 11, and following instruc-  
tions received upon arrival at Hilo is  
still doing at anchor awaiting further  
orders about proceeding on the jour-  
ney. Should further trouble occur the  
ship's officers may be obliged to pun-  
ish the troublemakers according to the  
statements given out.

#### Situation Puzzling

Shipping men do not understand the  
detention of the Japanese steamer in  
view of the declaration of the British  
and Japanese consular officials that  
the Pacific is free of German warships  
between Hawaii and the American con-  
tinents. Among Japanese it is be-  
lieved that a squadron of the Imperial  
Navy is patrolling the waters between  
Hawaii and Japan, and that Japanese  
liners en route are conveyed almost  
within sight of land when approaching  
these islands.

The funeral services of the late Pro-  
fessor Curtis J. Lyons took place in  
the pastor's study of Kawaiahao  
Church on Friday afternoon, Rev. A. B.  
Ebersole officiating.  
Several hymns were beautifully ren-  
dered by a quartet composed of Mrs.  
John P. Erdman, Miss Agnes Judd, C.  
H. Tracy and W. J. Korbes.  
The pall bearers were Judge Sanford  
B. Dole, Dr. J. M. Whitney, Hon. W. R.  
Castle, R. H. Kluegel, W. E. Wall and  
A. C. Alexander.

The interment was in the Kawaiahao  
Mission cemetery. The floral offerings  
were unusually beautiful.

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WASHINGTON, September 27.—  
(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—  
Reports from Laredo, Texas, that  
Provisional President Carranza is mo-  
bilizing a force at Monterrey to meet  
the Villa rebellion, have been con-  
firmed.

#### SOME DISCREPANCY

The reports of the defeat of the  
forces under General Benjamin Hill  
near Santa Barbara by the revolution-  
ists under General Maytorena were  
confirmed yesterday by advices from  
Mexico. General Hill claimed that  
none of his men were killed, but  
that he lost twenty-six wounded. He  
asserted that General Maytorena lost  
twenty-eight killed and eighty-two  
wounded.

Deserters from the Hill forces report  
that two hundred of their dead were  
abandoned.

Both sides are busily seeking rein-  
forcements and getting ready for an  
other engagement.

The Russian ambassador to Mexico,  
who is returning to Petrograd, said  
yesterday just prior to leaving New  
York that Mexico is a country with-  
out a government. He says that con-  
ditions are everywhere and that condi-  
tions are worse now than in the time  
of Madero.

LONDON, September 27.—(Associ-  
ated Press by Federal Wireless)—A  
dispatch from Basel, Switzerland, to  
the Exchange Telegraph yesterday  
states that in the fighting yesterday  
in Lorraine the French surrounded and  
practically annihilated the One Hun-  
dred and Ninth Regiment of Ger-  
man reserves. The regiment, though  
trapped, fought until only a few sur-  
vived to surrender.

ROME, September 27.—(Associ-  
ated Press by Federal Wireless)—The  
bombardment of the forts at the entrance  
of Cattaro Bay was resumed yesterday  
by the French battleships. These forts  
are on each side of the narrow entrance  
of the bay, at the extreme end of  
which is the important city of Cattaro.  
The channel is reported to be heavily  
mined in addition to the protection  
afforded by the forts.

WASHINGTON, September 26.—(As-  
sociated Press by Federal Wireless)—  
By a vote of 234 to 135 the house of  
representatives yesterday passed the ad-  
ministration war revenue bill. Under  
the terms of this bill the imposition of  
additional taxes on beer, domestic  
wines, gasoline and certain stamps, will  
produce \$105,000,000 within a year, ac-  
cording to estimates.